which have already been included in Scheduled **I.**

Winding up sick PSUs by BIFR

1420. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA.: SHRI RAMDAS AGARWAL:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the BIFR has recommended the winding up of sick PSUs in **the** country;

(b) if so, the details of those PSUs to which BIFR has recommended for winding up during" the last 6 months;

whether the viability schemes of such PSUs have been prepared;

(d) if so, the details thereof and whether Government propose to take to have the PSUs from closure; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY **(**3MT**.** KRISHNA SAHI): (a) and (b) Board for Industrial and Finan-,traction (BTFR) have re. coramend^d to the concerned High Court for closure of National Bicycle Corpn. of India Ltd., British India Corpn. Ltd. and. Elgin Mills Company

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) and (e) The revival proposal prepared by operating agency in the case of National Bicycle Corpn. of India Ltd. was considered by Govt, and the proposal was not found via ble. Hence BIFR recommended for its closure. In the case of Elgin Mills Company Ltd. the viability proposal submitted by the company was not found feasible by BIFR and no viable purposal was made in the case of Bri tish India Corpn, Ltd.

Crisis faced by small and cottage industries

1421. SHRI DEBABRATA BISWAS Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the small scale and cottage industries are facing crisis under I he impart of the New Econo-
;• Policy of Governmeni;

Cb) if so, the nature of the crisis; and

(c) the steps taken to overcome the same?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM i: (a)
Sir.

(b) and (e) Do not arise.

Non-release of fcunds for growth Centre

1422. SHRIMATi URMILABEN CHIMANBHAI pATEL,- Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the reasons iior which Government **are** not releasing the Share capital fully to Growth Centres although the projects were approved in July, 1992 for a Growth Centres of Gujarat and the reasons for which the Industrial Finance Corporation Ltd. has not released the share capital to Growth Centres in Gujarat though the pro. ject appraisal was done by them **and** approved as viable; and

(ib) whether it Is a fact that Government have not released their respective amount of share capital as per time schedule for Growth Centres and whether it is possible to increase the share capital amounte for each growth centre by Government and IFCIL?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MTNISTPY OF INDUSTRY (SHRIMATT KRISHNA SAHI): (a) and (b) The release of funds to gro-

w th centres by the Central Government depends on the progress of implementation of the growth centres and is contingent upon proportionate release of fund> by the State Govern, ments & the Financial institutions. In so t'ar as the State of Gujarat's centres are concerned, the Government has released the following amounts commensurate with the progress of implementation by the State.

Name of Centre	Amt. released (RS. in crores)
1, Vagra	3.00
2, Gandhidham	0.50
3, Palanpur	0,50

The Government has also Impressed upon the Industrial Finance Corporation of India to release their share of the contribution. However, it is not possible to increase the share of the Central Government or the IFCIL.

Assistance from NRF to industries iE Gujarat

1423. SHRIMATI ANANDIBEN JE. THABHAI PATEL: Will the PRIME MINISTER, be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the industries in Gujarat State to which assistance has been given from the National Renewal Fund during the year 1993-94 and current financial year;

(b) the nature of. assistance provided to these industries;

(c) whether Gujarat Government has Submitted any proposal seeldng assistance from NRIs for sick textile units in the State**;** and

(d) if so, when these proposals were submitted and what are the rea sons for delay in approving them?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SMT. KRISHNA SAHI): (a) and (b) Assistance from the National Renewal Fund has been provided to Central Public Sector Undertakings, including those in the State of Gujai for implementation of Voluntary Retirement Scheme in the years 1992-93, 1993-94 and 1994-95 and for interim 'ty requirement in central textile sector in 199)2-93 and 1993-94. Names of such companies are given in statement. (See below)

(c) No. Sir.

(d) Does not arise.

Statement

Names of *Central Public Sector Un. dcrtdkings to* tohicft assistance *from the NRF has been 'provided in* .93, 1993-94 *and* 1994.95.

A. *Fag Implementation* of *Voluntary Retirement Scheme*

Ministry of *Chemicals* & Petro.dierm-ca?s

1. Smith Stanistreet Pharmaceuticals .Ltd.

2. Bengal Chemicals and Pharmaceuticals Ltd.

3. Bengal Immunity Ltd.

4. Indian Drugs and pharmaceuticals Ltd.

5. Hindustan Insecticide Ltd.

Department of Fertilizers

1. Hindustan Fertilizers Corpora- Ltd.

2. Fertilizer Corporation of India Ltd.

S. Pyrites, Phosphates & Chemicals Ltd.

4. Projects and Development India Ltd.

itry of Civil Aviatioji & *Tourism*
Department of Tourism

1. Indian Tourism Development Corporation